

ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF  
MARLBOROUGH, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

*February 15, 1900.*



MARLBORO', N. H.

W. L. METCALF, STEAM JOB PRINTER.

1900.

NEW HAMPSHIRE  
STATE LIBRARY



ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF  
MARLBOROUGH, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

*February 15, 1900.*



MARLBORO', N. H.

W. L. METCALF, STEAM JOB PRINTER.

1900.



REPORT OF  
SELECTMEN AND TREASURER.

—O—

We, the undersigned, selectmen and treasurer of the town of Marlborough, respectfully submit the following financial report for the year ending February 15, 1900.

APRIL INVOICE, 1899.

Resident real estate,	\$454,096 00
Non-resident real estate,	10,344 00
Mills and machinery,	41,000 00
Money at interest,	49,754 00
Stock in trade,	33,406 00
Stock in banks,	15,878 00
Stock in public funds,	2,000 00
288 horses,	13,754 00
6 oxen,	320 00
311 cows,	8,146 00
55 neat stock,	1,094 00
86 sheep,	270 00
4 hogs,	36 00
Carriages and vehicles,	2,154 00
374 polls,	37,400 00
	<hr/>
	\$669,652 00

## AMOUNT OF MONEY RAISED BY TAX.

State tax,	\$1,551 25
County tax,	1,492 43
Schools by law,	1,825 00
Extra voted by town,	800 00
School supplies,	300 00
Town charges,	2,000 00
Highways,	1,675 08
For street lights,	500 00
For decoration day exercises,	50 00
Bob runners for steamer,	200 00
New reservoir for fire protection,	150 00
Money raised by tax at school meeting,	
For heating the school houses,	150 00
Insurance on school house,	73 00
For repairs of school house,	25 00
Surplusage,	257 67

---

\$11,049 43

Amount of tax on one hundred dollars including highways and schools, \$1,65

Amount committed to Charles A. Allen, for collection, \$11,049 43.

Amount of money for school purposes raised

by law,	\$1,825 00
Extra voted by town,	1,100 00
Literary fund from state,	171 57
Asahel Collins fund, 1898, \$15,88, '99, \$181.60,	197 48
Lydia Wyman fund,	22 00
Town school fund,	16 80
Tucker school fund,	3 34
Dog license,	162 47
W. H. Wilkinson school fund,	108 20

---

\$3,606 86

Money raised by tax at school meeting, \$248 00

## DISBURSEMENTS.

C. A. Whitney, treasurer for schooling and supplies,	\$3,606 86
C. A. Whitney, treasurer, money voted for insurance, heating and repairs,	248 00
	<hr/>
	\$3,854 86

—o—

## SCHOOL OFFICERS.

S. H. McCollester, member of school board,	\$40 00
E. P. Richardson, member of school board,	15 00
L. A. Fuller, member of school board,	12 00
C. A. Whitney, treasurer, school board,	10 00
J. K. Southwick, enumerating school children,	10 00
S. E. Partridge, clerk of school board,	1 50
H. H. Ward, truant officer,	5 00
	<hr/>
	\$93 50

—o—

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Torrent Co. No. 2, salary of 40 men,	\$120 00
Torrent Co. No. 2, hours work at fires, at 25 cts.	25 50
L. G. Bemis, steward, salary and supplies,	19 48
	<hr/>
	\$164 98
Steamer Co. salary of 15 men,	\$45 00
Steamer Co. 82 hours work at fires, at 15 cts.	20 50
S. M. Woods, steward's salary,	41 35
Coal for engine house and steamer,	83 15
Repairs, labor and material,	16 88
Lights for engine house,	7 25
R. M. Lawrence, drawing steamer,	3 50
M. J. Buss, drawing steamer and coal,	3 08
	<hr/>
	\$220 71

## ASSISTANCE GIVEN THE TOWN POOR.

Frank Pluff,	\$145 13
Mrs. William Getty,	122 69
John Croto in Lowellville,	41 05
Alfred Morse,	42 00
Mrs. Anna Labonty,	10 00
Tramps,	29 80
	<hr/>
	\$390 67

—o—

## AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Avery Bryant, County,	\$178 65
Emerson Davis, “	16 00
	<hr/>
	\$194 65

—o—

## AID TO COUNTY PAUPERS.

Mrs. Shover,	\$58 00
Miss Dora Phelps,	57 54
W. N. Coddington,	12 00
John Holmes,	7 61
Mrs. Labonty,	10 00
	<hr/>
	\$145 15

## TOWN OFFICERS.

Merrill Mason, selectman,	\$190 00
John R. Farnum, selectman,	150 00
Albert A. Wallace, selectman,	150 00
George G. Davis, treasurer,	25 00
Fred E. Adams, clerk,	25 00
W. C. Adams, liquor agent,	100 00
Charles A. Allen, tax collector,	80 00
C. S. Moors, police officer,	10 00

W. McRoy, police officer,	\$10 00
W. McRoy, dog constable,	2 00
H. H. Ward, police officer 1898 and 99,	10 00
George H. Sheldon, police officer 1898 and 99,	10 00
C. L. Bemis, supervisor,	3 00
E. E. Ward, supervisor,	3 00
E. P. Richardson, supervisor,	3 00
W. H. Aldrich, health officer,	3 00
D. W. Tenney, health officer,	3 00
L. Hemenway, auditor 1899,	4 00
L. A. Fuller, auditor 1899,	3 00
J. K. Southwick, auditor 1899,	1 00
	<hr/>
	\$785 00

## HIGHWAYS.

Frank T. Wiswall, road agent,	\$2,109 31
-------------------------------	------------

## ELECTRIC LIGHTING FOR STREETS.

Marlboro Electric Light Co.,	\$482 76
------------------------------	----------

## LIQUORS BOUGHT.

W. C. ADAMS. liquor agent,	\$499 23
----------------------------	----------

—O—

## MISCELLANEOUS.

W. L. Metcalf, printing town reports, 1899,	\$52 00
Printing names on invoice blanks,	75
Ashley N. White, use of watering trough, 1898,	3 00
Batchelder & Faulkner, retainers,	6 00
Clinton Collins, cemetery trustee, Lucinda A.	
Winch trust fund,	50 00
Wiring town hall,	8 44
C. A. Allen, Memorial day money,	50 00
Insurance on town house,	52 50
D. W. Tenney, showing lots,	50
Invoice book and stationery,	1 30
Liquor license,	25 00

Books for the town,	\$21 00
Dean Holt, care of Library Grounds,	6 00
Oil for street lamp,	1 86
Paint brush,	35
Lumber for floor of Garfield & Adams' store,	30 00
Insurance on town house,	28 00
Water rent for town house and trough,	12 00
County tax,	1,492 43
State tax,	1,551 25
Henry L. Wiswall lumber for reservoir near Charles Collins,	26 77
Labor on reservoir near Charles Collins,	61 83
Frank T. Wiswall, lumber for reservoir,	13 44
J. and L. Knowlton, lumber for reservoir,	11 83
Adams & Atwood, nails for reservoir,	3 10
George Tupper, care of library grounds,	11 17
Ora Monroe, cleaning out ditch,	1 25
Webb Granite & Con. Co., posts for town line,	7 00
Albert A. Wallace, use of watering trough, 1899,	3 00
Albert A. Wallace, with team setting posts on Dublin line,	4 00
Merrill Mason, setting stone posts on Dub- lin line,	2 00
Frank Checkley, showing selectmen lots,	1 00
Adams & Atwood, for street lights,	1 65
Universalist society, clock and ministerial fund,	32 41
Methodist society, ministerial fund,	7 41
Congregational ministerial fund,	7 40
T. H. Richardson. repairing window in tramp house,	30
D. W. Tenney, assistant apprisor,	6 00
Dr. M. T. Stone, returning record of births and deaths,	1 00

Shoes for children, ordered by school board,	\$2 75
Liquor complaints,	7 00
W. H. Aldrich, returning record of births and deaths,	13 00
G. G. Davis, assistance on Labonty case,	2 00
G. G. Davis, revenue and postage stamps,	2 00
G. G. Davis, taking affidavits,	85
A. N. White, use of watering trough, 1899,	3 00
L. A. Fuller, interest on Library fund,	300 00
F. E. Adams, recording births, marriages and deaths,	21 80
F. E. Adams, supplies for town clerk,	35
L. G. Hildreth, returning record of births and deaths,	5 50
Check list blanks,	50
L. A. Fuller, use of watering trough, 1899,	3 00
L. A. Fuller, taking affidavit,	25
Expense and work of cemetery committee,	133 10
Clinton Collins, trustee, income on Collins cemetery fund,	4 00
Steamer debt,	800 00
Borrowed money,	1,950 00
Interest on town debt,	447 21
Abatement of taxes, 1899,	55 28
State treasurer, profits from sale of liquors,	10 48
	<hr/>
	\$7,357 01

—o—

## RECAPITULATION.

For school purposes,	\$3,854 86
School officers,	93 50
Town officers,	785 00
Fire department,	385 69
Town paupers,	390 67
Aid to dependent soldiers,	194 65
Aid to county paupers,	145 15

Highways,	2,109 31
Electric lighting for the streets,	482 76
Liquors bought,	499 23
Miscellaneous,	7,357 01
	<hr/>
	\$16,297 83

—o—

### MONEY ON HAND AND PAID INTO THE TREASURY.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1899,	\$170 31
Out standing taxes,	260 00
Borrowed money from G. G. Davis,	1,100 00
Borrowed money from Ella E. Knowlton,	550 00
Borrowed money from J. & L. Knowlton,	300 00
Interest on Library fund,	235 00
Money from the County,	402 41
Insurance tax,	11 25
Railroad tax,	117 62
Savings bank tax,	1,075 46
Literary fund,	171 57
Interest on Wilkinson school fund,	108 20
Interest on trust funds from L. Hemenway,	233 09
Clinton Collins, check for sale of cemetery lots,	107 50
E. P. Richardson, money for liquor fines,	6 00
Money from H. H. Ward, for use of town hall building,	243 46
F. E. Adams, money for dog licenses,	162 47
W. C. Adams, liquor sales,	630 31
Money from the town of Dublin for setting posts,	6 50
Taxes Committed to C. A. Allen for collec- tion,	11,049 43
Interest on 1898 and 1899 taxes,	18 47
	<hr/>
	\$16,959 05

## ASSETS OF THE TOWN, FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

Cash in treasury,	\$441 22
Uncollected taxes,	220 00
Due from county by estimation,	202 44
	<hr/>
	\$863 66

—o—

## LIABILITIES, FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

Town bonds,	\$8,582 98
Interest due by estimation,	45 00
	<hr/>
	\$8,627 98
Assets subtracted,	863 66
	<hr/>
Indebtedness, Feb. 15, 1900,	\$7,764 32
Indebtedness, Feb. 15, 1899,	\$8,792 62
Decrease of debt,	\$1,028 30

MERRILL MASON,  
JOHN R. FARNUM,  
ALBERT A. WALLACE,  
Selectmen of Marlborough.

GEORGE G. DAVIS,  
Town Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the selectmen and town treasurer, for the year ending February 15, 1900, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

LEVI A. FULLER,  
LUTHER HEMENWAY,  
Auditors.

Marlborough, N. H., Feb. 15, 1900.

# REPORT OF

## Trustee of MARLBORO' TRUST FUNDS.

—O—

	CR.	
Rec'd A. Collins school fund, \$181 60		
Rec'd Lydia Wyman fund, 22 00		
Rec'd Town school fund, 16 80		
Rec'd A. Tucker school fund, 3 34		
		<u>\$223 74</u>
Rec'd J. T. Collins fire dept. fund, \$10 35		
Rec'd J. T. Collins cemetery fund, 4 00		<u>14 35</u>
		<u>\$238 09</u>
	DR.	
My service,	\$5 00	
By Treasurer's receipt,	<u>233 09</u>	
		<u>\$238 09</u>

LUTHER HEMENWAY,

Trustee.

Marlboro', Feb. 14, 1900.

# REPORT OF TRUSTEE

OF THE

R. S. FROST LIBRARY FUND OF \$5000.00

AND THE

W.H.WILKINSON SCHOOL FUND of \$2470.00

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

—O—

Rec'd, Int. on \$3500, Library fund, 5 per cent. \$175 00

“ “ 1000, “ “ 6 “ 60 00

“ due 500, “ “ 6 “         

\$235 00

Paid the selectmen, \$235 00

Rec'd, Int. on \$1000, School fund, 5 per cent. \$50 00

“ “ 970, “ “ 6 “ 58 20

“ due 500, “ “ 6         

\$108 20

Paid the Selectmen, \$108 20

Respectfully submitted,

LEVI A. FULLER,

Trustee.

Marlborough, N. H., Feb. 15, 1900.

## REPORT OF LIQUOR AGENT,

Sales from Feb. 14, 1899, to Feb. 14, 1900, \$630 31

Value of liquors and containers on hand

Feb. 14, 1900, 57 94

\$688 25

Value of liquors and containers on hand

Feb. 14, 1899, \$ 54 54

Liquor bought, 494 19 548 73

\$140 52

Salary for year ending Feb. 14, 1900, \$100 00

Freight on liquors bought, 5 04

U. S. license to July 1, 1900, 25 00 130 04

Net profit paid to state, \$10 48

W. C. ADAMS,

Liquor Agent.

REPORT OF  
AGENT OF TOWN HALL BUILDING,

FROM FEBRUARY 15, 1899, TO FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

—O—

RECEIPTS.

1899.

Feb.	19.	W. C. T. U., free.	
Mar.	1.	Grange rent,	12 50
Mar.	14.	Town meeting, free.	
Mar.	15,	Merry Gleaners,	7 00
Apr.	30.	Temperance meeting, free.	
May	4.	Concert,	5 00
May	18.	Teachers' Institute, free.	
May	19.	Teachers' Institute, free.	
May	19.	Merry Gleaners,	7 00
May	30.	Memorial Exercises, free.	
June	3.	Dramatic play,	5 00
June	9.	Garfield & Adams, rent,	50 00
June	9.	Henry L. Page, rent,	31 25
June	9.	Grange rent,	12 50
June	23.	Graduation exercises, free.	
July	3.	Congregational society,	5 00
Aug.	18.	Uncle Tom's Cabin,	5 00
Aug.	29.	Dance,	5 00
Sept.	11.	Garfield & Adams, rent,	50 00
Sept.	11.	Henry L. Page, rent,	31 25
Sept.	21.	Rev. D. C. Ling,	12 00

Oct.	7.	Finns,	\$ 5 00
Oct.	14.	Dance,	5 00
Oct.	18.	Grange rent,	12 50
Oct.	19.	I. O. O. F.,	10 00
Nov.	3.	Owl Club dance,	5 00
Nov.	11.	W. C. T. U., free.	
Nov.	15.	Y. P. S. C. E.,	5 00
Nov.	24.	Torrent Engine Co., free.	
Nov.	26.	W. C. T. U., free.	
Nov.	28.	Irving's Minstrels,	5 00
Dec.	6.	M. E. Church,	5 00
Dec.	7.	W. C. T. U., free.	
Dec.	13.	Universalist society,	8 00
Dec.	14.	Grange rent,	12 50
Dec.	15.	Garfield & Adams,	50 00
Dec.	16.	Henry L. Page,	31 25
Dec.	27.	M. E. Church,	6 00
1900.			
Jan.	18.	Educational Lecture, free.	
Jan.	31.	Merry Gleaners,	7 00
Feb.	1.	Educational Lecture, free.	
Feb.	14.	Garfield & Adams,	50 00
Feb.	14.	Henry L. Page,	31 25
Feb.	15.	Educational Lecture, free.	
			<hr/>
			\$487 00

## DISBURSEMENTS.

1899.

Feb.	18.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gallons oil,	\$ 60
Mar.	15.	W. G. Smalley, floor wax,	1 50
Mar.	24.	J. Eames, sawing wood,	1 25
Mar.	27.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	55
May	6.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	55
May	18.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	55

May	19.	W. G. Smalley, floor wax,	\$ 1 00
June	3.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	55
June	9.	Garfield & Adams, painting store,	53 67
June	23.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	55
July	11.	H. L. Wiswall, wood,	5 24
Aug.	1.	H. H. Ward, Janitor,	19 00
Aug.	29.	W. G. Smalley, floor wax,	1 00
Sept.	5.	T. H. Mahon, wood and sawdust,	1 40
Sept.	11.	George G. Davis,	50 00
Sept.	28.	S. M. Woods, repairing lamps,	50
Oct.	18.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	55
Oct.	19.	Garfield & Adams, 6 chimneys,	1 50
Oct.	20.	H. H. Ward, work and lumber,	3 00
Oct.	31.	J. Eames, sawing wood,	1 50
Nov.	1.	T. H. Richardson, setting glass,	30
Nov.	2.	Davis, Wright & Harlow, labor, &c.,	4 75
Nov.	23.	Garfield & Adams, oil and matches,	1 00
Nov.	24.	W. G. Smalley, floor wax,	1 00
Nov.	28.	F. T. Wiswall, wood,	6 72
Nov.	28.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	70
Dec.	1.	H. H. Ward, Janitor,	23 50
Dec.	7.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	75
Dec.	12.	H. H. Ward, work on doors,	1 35
Dec.	18.	George G. Davis,	80 00
Dec.	26.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	75
Jan.	11.	T. H. Mahon, wood,	1 25
Jan.	16.	C. Collins & Co., glass and flyers,	2 71
Jan.	31.	Garfield & Adams, 5 gals. oil,	75
Jan.	31.	W. G. Smalley, floor wax,	50
Feb.	5.	H. H. Ward, expense getting curtain,	7 70
Feb.	8.	C. W. Bailey, plastering,	75
Feb.	9.	Davis, Wright & Harlow, 6 chimneys,	1 50
Feb.	9.	Garfield & Adams, 30 gals. oil,	3 60

Feb.	15.	H. H. Ward, Janitor,	14 50
Feb.	15.	Drop curtain,	75 00
Feb.	15.	G. G. Davis,	113 46

---

\$487 00

H. H. WARD,  
Agent.

## HEALTH BOARD REPORT.

—o—

The Board of Health herewith present their annual report.

There has been no epidemic of any contagious disease during the year. One case of Typhoid fever which however, was quite mild, was reported to the board.

Three or four times has the attention of the board been called to the unsanitary condition of local surroundings which were a menace to the general health of the interested parties; in all of which cases the suggestions of the board have been gladly complied with. In order that the board may do the most efficient service, it is necessary to have the co-operation of the people in looking after the unsanitary conditions, and as far as is needed, calling the matter to the attention of the health board; not with a spirit of criticism or faultfinding, but that the chances for disease may be lessened and our people enjoy to the fullest extent, the best degree of health possible.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. ALDRICH,  
D. W. TENNEY.

# REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMITTEE,

FOR YEAR ENDING, FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

—O—

In addition to the general care of the five cemeteries in town, your committee have, with the approval of the selectmen, made much needed improvements in the approach to Pine Grove cemetery, building a new bank wall, new fence and repairing the road leading to it. A part of this expense was generously borne by Mr. Luther Hemenway who owns the land adjoining the road.

## ACCOUNTS.

Receipts for sale of lots, &c.

1899.

Apr. 29.	Mrs. W. H. Launder, Lot	No. 22,	\$15 00
May 6.	Mrs. Eliza Bruce, Lot	No. 88,	25 00
July 5.	David P. Woods, $\frac{1}{2}$ Lot	No. 50,	12 50
July 5.	John D. Gates, $\frac{1}{2}$ Lot	No. 50,	12 50
July 21.	Mrs. M. E. Wright, $\frac{1}{2}$ Lot	No. 73,	12 50
Nov. 21.	E. B. Fitch, estate, Lot	No. 16,	15 00
Dec. 30.	A. P. Knight, $\frac{1}{2}$ Lot	No. 73,	12 50
	Hay sold,		2 50

---

\$107 50

For which we hold a receipt from the selectmen.

## EXPENSES.

As Per Itemized Bills Paid by the Selectmen.

Work on North cemetery,	\$2 00
Work on South cemetery,	3 05
Work on Old Center cemetery,	12 73
Work on Graniteville Cemetery, less donation of \$5.50 from Arboreal society,	12 67
Work on Pine Grove cemetery,	28 55
New fence, bank wall and repairing road at Pine Grove cemetery, less \$10.00 paid by Luther Hemenway,	70 10
Services of committee,	4 00

---

 \$133 10

Account of income from J. T. Collins cemetery fund,

Feb. 15, 1900, received of selectmen,	\$4 00
Due committee from last year,	98

Balance in hands of committee,	\$3 02
--------------------------------	--------

Respectfully submitted,

CLINTON COLLINS,

GEORGE E. GOULD,

JOHN R. FARNUM,

Cemetery Committee.

Marlboro', N. H., Feb. 15, 1900

## REPORT OF FIREWARDS.

—o—

We can report our fire department in good order; same amount of hose as last year, no new having been purchased. We recommend that about 200 feet additional hose be procured. There has been but one alarm of fire the past year, to which both Companies responded promptly: the fire being in the dry house of Mr. Handy at the Knowlton Mills. While quite stubborn to handle, it was extinguished, with a loss of about \$200.00.

As voted by the town, a reservoir was built near Weston McRoy's, with a capacity of about 10,000 gallons. This, in the driest weather has been filled with water, and we believe will be ample protection for that locality. There seems to be a need of a more suitable reservoir or place to set the machine near Hodgkins' machine shop, as in the past season, it has been impossible to obtain water from the present facilities there. We would recommend that some action be taken and money appropriated to remedy this defect, as from this location a large amount of property can be covered with a limited amount of hose.

At the annual inspection of the department called September 30th, but one Company responded to the call, the Steamer Company coming out with its full complement of men. Its apparatus was in excellent condition, showing careful handling, and

was a source of much pride and satisfaction to the firewards. The town may well feel proud of its Steamer Company. The non-appearance of the Torrent Company led to much comment at the time and to remarks whether it was advisable to continue with two companies.

As our firemen are called upon to protect our property in all kinds of weather and at any time of day or night, thereby risking their lives and limbs for the preservation of our property, it seems but right and just that some protection should be afforded them. As there is a call for rubber coats and boots for their comfort, and as we find that other towns have adopted that measure providing that class of goods for their firemen, we feel as if it would be but right for this town to provide coat and boots for its firemen; but as we have two companies of so many men, and as one company has as good a right to ask for the articles as the other, it would be a burden upon the town thus to be obliged to provide for so many men. We, therefore, after due consideration, looking out for the best interests of the town would recommend that the Torrent company, (which has served the town so faithfully in the years past) be disbanded: That the Steamer company be increased to 20 men, and the whole fire apparatus be in their charge. In doing this, the town will be better able to provide for the company at a much less expense than could be done, if both companies were kept on full footing. As has been demonstrated, the Steamer company is the one that will do nine-tenths of the work. At a distance of over 2000 feet, it will in the majority of cases set its machine, lay its hose and get a stream on the fire first.

The Firewards fully recognize their power as invested in them by law, for the maintenance and regulation of fire companies, for the protection of property, "yet with malice towards none, and charity towards all", the above report is submitted for your careful consideration.

C. S. MOORS, Chief.

H. H. PEASE, 1st. Assistant.

---

C. H. KINSMAN, 3rd. Assistant.

R. M. LAWRENCE, 4th. Assistant.

# REPORT OF ROAD AGENT.

## EXPENSES IN APRIL.

F. T. Wiswall, work, 64 hours	at 20 cts.	\$12 80
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 131 hours,	20	26 20
John Lawrence, 102 hours,	15	15 30
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 102 hours,	20	20 40
L. M. Flint, 20 hours,	15	3 00
L. M. Flint, 1 pr. horses, 20 hours,	20	4 00
W. A. Russell, 127 hours,	15	19 05
Davis Carpenter, 141½ hours,	15	21 23
J. W. Lawrence, 92½ hours,	15	13 87
John Gates, 48 hours,	15	7 20
Joe Harper, 49 hours,	15	7 35
Sennachal, 38 hours,	15	5 70
Joe Lavoice, 15 hours,	15	2 25
Leon Gates, 10 hours,	15	1 50

---

\$159 85

## EXPENSES IN MAY.

F. T. Wiswall, 210 hours, at	20 cts.	\$42 00
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 210 hours,	20	42 00
John Lawrence, 161 hours,	15	24 15
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 211½ hours,	20	45 30
L. M. Flint, 210 hours,	15	31 50
L. M. Flint, 1 pr. horses, 210 hours,	20	42 00
H. T. Wiswall, 1 pr horses, 210 hours,	20	42 00
J. W. Lawrence, 192½ hours,	15	28 88
W. A. Russell, 212½ hours,	15	31 88
Davis Carpenter, 198 hours,	15	29 70
John Gates, 210 hours,	15	31 50

Joe Lavoice, 150 hours,	15	22 50
Fred Beauregard, 212 hours,	15	31 87
Sinnechal, 30 hours,	15	4 50
Joe Harper, 160 hours,	15	24 00
Leon Gates, 123½ hours,	15	18 52
D. K. Townsend, 9 hours,	15	1 35
Herbert G. Wiswall, 10 hours,	15	1 50

---

\$492 15

Webb Granite Co., 202 loads crushed stone, 101 00

---

\$593 15

## EXPENSES IN JUNE.

F. T. Wiswall, 219 hours, at	20 cts.	\$43 80
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 219 hours,	20	43 80
John Lawrence, 222½ hours,	15	33 37
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 222½ hours,	20	44 50
L. M. Flint, 210 hours,	15	31 50
L. M. Flint, 1 pr. horses, 210 hours,	20	42 00
H. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 224 hours,	20	44 90
J. W. Lawrence, 215 hours,	15	32 25
W. A. Russell, 227½ hours,	15	34 12
Davis Carpenter, 194½ hours,	15	29 17
John Gates, 209½ hours,	15	31 43
Joe Lavoice, 223½ hours,	15	33 52
Joe Harper, 222½ hours,	15	33 37
Fred Beureagard, 224½ hours,	15	33 67
Fish, 81½ hours,	15	12 23
Herbert G. Wiswall, 48½ hours,	15	7 21
Lewis Bruce, 67½ hours,	15	10 12
Leon Gates, 32 hours,	15	4 80
D. W. Tenney, 20 hours,	15	3 00
J. Dupres, repairing sluice,		2 50

---

\$551 26

Webb Granite Co., 154 loads crushed	
stone,	\$77 00
Knowlton & Stone, drain pipe,	43 35
Adams & Atwood, pick handle and	
fuse,	1 40
Freight on drain pipe,	1 40
Axle grease,	50
Brush cutter,	25
Box of explosives,	1 60
	<hr/>
	125 50
	<hr/>
	\$676 76

## EXPENSES IN JULY.

F. T. Wiswall, 71 ½ hours, at	20 cts.	\$14 30
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 66 ½ hours, 20		13 30
John Lawrence, 71 ½ hours, 15		10 72
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 71 ½ hours, 20		14 30
L. M. Flint, 75 1-2 hours,	15	11 33
L. M. Flint, 1 pr. horses, 75 1-2 hours, 20		15 10
H. T. Wiswall, 10 hours,	15	1 50
H. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 32 1-2 hours, 20		6 50
W. A. Russell, 66 1-2 hours,	15	9 97
Davis Carpenter, 56 1-2 hours,	15	8 47
John Gates, 66 1-2 hours,	15	9 97
Herbert G. Wiswall, 59 1-2 hours,	15	8 92
J. W. Lawrence, 55 hours,	15	8 25
Joe Lavoice, 56 hours,	15	8 40
Joe Harper, 56 hours,	15	8 40
Fred Beauregard, 56 hours,	15	8 40
Fish, 10 hours,	15	1 50
		<hr/>
		\$159 33

Webb Granite Co., 30 loads crushed	
stone,	\$15 00
F. O. Nims, 140 loads gravel,	9 80
	<hr/>
	24 80
	<hr/>
	\$184 13

## EXPENSES IN AUGUST.

F. T. Wiswall, 42 1-2 hours at	20 cts.	\$8 50
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 30 1-2 hours,	20	6 10
John Lawrence, 10 hours,	15	1 50
L. M. Flint, 25 hours,	15	3 75
J. W. Lawrence, 39 hours, .	15	5 85
Davis Carpenter, 43 1-2 hours,	15	6 52
W. A. Russell, 10 hours,	15	1 50
Joe Lavoice, 28 1-2 hours,	15	4 28
Arthur Wallace, 5 hours,	15	75
T. H. Richardson,		2 05
		<hr/>
		\$40 80
F. T. Wiswall, 5 bridge stringers,		
\$4.00 each,	20 00	
Webb Granite Co., repairing tools		
and dynamite,	4 85	
Knowlton & Stone, drain pipe,	81	
		<hr/>
		\$25 66
		<hr/>
		\$66 46

## EXPENSES IN SEPTEMBER.

F. T. Wiswall, 69 1-2 hours at	20 cts.	\$13 90
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 67 1-2 hours,	20	13 50
John Lawrence, 67 hours,	15	10 05
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 51 hours,	20	10 20
L. M. Flint, 47 1-2 hours,	15	7 12

L. M. Flint, 1 pr. horses, 40 hours,	20	\$8 00
Davis Carpenter, 71 1-2 hours,	15	10 73
J. W. Lawrence, 59 hours,	15	8 85
W. A. Russell, 40 hours,	15	6 00
H. M. Underwood,		10 50

---

\$98 85

J. & L. Knowlton, bridge plank,	35 51	
Webb Granite Co., 18 loads crushed stone,	9 00	
F. T. Wiswall, 350 ft. railing poles,	3 50	
Amasa Fuller, 316 ft. railing poles,	3 16	

---

51 17

---

\$150 02

## EXPENSES IN OCTOBER.

F. T. Wiswall, 12 hours at	20 cts.	\$2 40
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 12 hours,	20	2 40
John Lawrence, 14 hours,	15	2 10
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 14 hours,	20	2 80
J. W. Lawrence, 13 hours,	15	1 95
D. K. Townsend, 10 hours,	15	1 50
W. A. Russell, 1 hour,	15	1 50
T. H. Richardson,		1 45

---

\$14 75

A. T. Woodward, storing road machine, 2 00

---

\$16 75

## EXPENSES IN NOVEMBER.

F. T. Wiswall, 2 hours at	20 cts.	40
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 5 hours,	20	1 00
John Lawrence, 13 hours,	15	1 95
W. A. Russell, 62 1-2 hours,	15	9 38

---

\$12 73

## EXPENSES IN DECEMBER.

F. T. Wiswall, 7 hours,	at 20 cts.	\$1 40
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 7 hours,	20	1 40
Davis Carpenter, 7 hours,	15	1 05
F. T. Wiswall, 1 pr. horses, 3 hours,	20	60
W. A. Russell, 2 hours,	15	30
		<hr/>
		\$4 75
Webb Granite Co., 1 load crushed stone,		50
		<hr/>
		\$5 25

## BREAKING ROADS IN 1899.

F. T. Wiswall,	\$13 55
Frank Derby,	71 31
L. A. Fuller,	13 22
Geo. Capron,	7 75
J. M. Dupres,	4 43
W. D. Towne,	4 50
H. M. Underwood,	2 40
J. Beauregard,	2 25
L. E. Parker,	6 30
Oren Currier,	1 00
T. H. Richardson,	7 30
C. L. Clark,	35 63
L. L. White,	10 94
Fred Hunt,	5 41
Geo. Nutting,	5 59
Herbert Cloutier,	1 57
R. M. Lawrence, ploughing side-walk,	6 60
Merrill Mason,	1 75
Geo. Richardson,	1 00
Reuben Ward, damage to fence,	1 00
	<hr/>
	\$203 50

## BREAKING ROADS IN 1900.

F. T. Wiswall,	\$12 95	
A. C. Mason,	1 65	
T. H. Richardson,	6 10	
Sam. Clark,	1 72	
L. A. Fuller,	3 26	
R. M. Lawrence, ploughing side-walk,	11 15	
Paint for snow plough,	2 03	
D. P. Woods, cutting ice in water trough,	1 50	
Fuse,	35	
		<hr/>
		40 71
		<hr/>
		\$244 21
Whole amount drawn,		\$2,109 31
Amount expended for labor,	\$1,534 47	
For material used,	330 63	
Breaking roads, 1899-1900,	244 21	
		<hr/>
		\$2,109 31

FRANK T. WISWALL,  
Road Agent.

# FROST FREE LIBRARY.

—O—

## REPORT OF SECRETARY.

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND OFFICERS.

EMMA FROST HALE,	President
S. H. MCCOLLESTER, D. D.,	Vice-President
REV. C. F. MCINTIRE,	Trustee
REV. WM. L. THOMPSON,	Trustee
REV. A. J. SMITH,	Trustee
FRED E. MCINTYRE,	Trustee
MERRILL MASON, Selectman,	Trustee
JOHN R. FARNUM, “	Trustee
ALBERT A. WALLACE, “	Trustee
LEVI A. FULLER,	Treasurer
MRS. H. H. PEASE,	Secretary
MRS. E. C. HOLT,	Librarian

Only two meetings of the Library trustees have been held during 1899. The first was an adjourned meeting, held Jan. 2, 1899. In the absence of the president, Mrs. E. F. Hale, the vice-president Rev. S. H. McColleston, occupied the chair. No special business was transacted, and the meeting was soon adjourned.

The annual meeting was held Sept. 11, with the president, Mrs. Emma Frost Hale in the chair. The usual officers were elected, reports read and approved, and some time passed in the discussion of interior alterations and improvements of the library building, no definite action thereon being taken.

The meeting was adjourned without date.

Respectfully,

MRS. H. H. PEASE,

Secretary.

—o—

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND LIBRARY.

This committee have held frequent meetings during the year to plan, consult and work for the benefit of the library.

The last year ending the 31st. of August, we had laid out for books, \$199.35 and for other running expenses \$78.19, as the treasurer's report indicates leaving a balance for the ensuing year of \$33.76. We feel as the reports show that the library the last year, has been doing excellent service to the town and so achieving the good work for our people which the noble Founder prayed might be accomplished.

The committee on securing books, exercised the strictest caution to select only the very best to be had and books that deserve to be read. It is believed that the tendency of the readers is in the right direction, making a demand for more solid reading. Fiction has its place, but wherever it controls a people, lightness of character and show instead of substance have got into the saddle and are driving to destruction. Various measures are in operation to encourage our young people to take from the Library the very best books. Our public school teachers have been requested to aid the students of the schools in selecting the proper books for them to read and the Sunday-school teachers are cordially invited to cooperate in this essential and important work.

The Library grounds, the last season, have been kept in good order, making them a decided credit to the village and to the one who has done the work. It is now contemplated making some changes inside the Library, which will add decidedly to its appearance and convenience in operating it; however, whatever is done should be done with the view of gratifying the heirs of the revered Donor, as well as carrying out what we may feel would be his wishes. We should always keep in mind that this Library is a precious boon vouchsafed our town to be guarded and preserved, that it may work through the ages to enlighten and ennoble the people of Marlborough.

S. H. McCOLLESTER,  
C. F. McINTIRE,  
F. E. McINTYRE,  
A. J. SMITH,  
W. L. THOMPSON.

—o—

#### REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

There are now in the Library, a few over 5500 books. There have been added in 1898-'99, some 200 new books. Books taken out during the year, 4666, against 4900 last year, a decrease of 234. The largest number taken any one day, 171; quite a per cent. being fiction. Books as a general thing have been very well taken care of while from the library.

The people coming into the Library have been very quiet and orderly. There has been a great improvement in this respect over former years, which is a decided help to the Librarian, and adds to the success of the Library.

MRS. E. C. HOLT.

35  
TREASURER'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUG. 31, 1899.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Sept. 1, 1899,	\$17 14
Mrs. E. C. Holt,	5 16
Interest on R. S. Frost fund,	300 00
Albert P. Frost, fund,	950 00
Interest on A. P. Frost fund,	30 00
Grass sold,	9 00
	<hr/>
	\$1,311 30

PAYMENTS.

Paid Librarian,	\$57 00
Paid note and mortgage, A. P. Frost fund, 1,000 00	
Books,	199 35
Printing,	3 84
Miscellaneous,	6 85
Wood,	10 50
Balance to new account,	33 76
	<hr/>
	\$1,311 30

Respectfully submitted,

LEVI A. FULLER,

Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing account of Levi A. Fuller treasurer, and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. H. McCOLLESTER,

Auditor.

## SCHOOL REPORT.

—o—

It is now more than twelve years since our town adopted the town system; as we fairly and carefully contrast the present school working with what it was at that time and had been for the last two decades, we can but discover that decided progress has been made since the incoming of the new system. About the same amount of money on an average was spent per pupil through the seventies for public instruction as now, still he did receive but from eighteen to twenty-four weeks schooling during the year, while now he is privileged to, from thirty-four to thirty-six weeks. This is largely due to the reduction of the number of schools by placing the children under fewer teachers. By this means the pupils in the remotest part of the town enjoy equal educational advantages with those living close by the schoolhouse; of course it requires more effort on the part of the former to get to the school; still this is made up in a large measure by the mileage fees received by all living more than a mile and a half from the school; and, furthermore, those living farthest off have this additional compensation as a rule that their rank in scholarship and deportment is full as high as those near the school. Under the old district system this was not as likely to be the case; or, if they stood as well in scholarship, they did not in manners and general appearance.

Certainly the unbiased and those who have made themselves familiar with the present and past school-methods, would not wish, were it possible, to go back to the district system. The former is not democratic but aristocratic in its tendency; while the latter proffers equal advantages to all.

The schools, as a whole, the last year have been successful, having made commendable advancement. The students in the main have stood well in their studies and deportment; we regret that in a few instances pupils have not done their best and, therefore, have met with an irretrivable loss. This is a lamentable forfeiture when we realize, as we should, that it can never be made up. Present wasted opportunities are gone forever. Talents can be improved, or doubled only by persistantly doing now our best; so misimproved time and privilege result in an eternal loss. Would that all, especially parents and students, could take this fact right home, keeping it ever in mind.

The greatest drawbacks now to our schools are the many absences and tardinesses; most of which, it does appear, might be prevented, and would be, if all parents should estimate justly the responsibility resting upon them. In case of sickness, or some other unavoidable disability, we can and should submit to them; otherwise children should be in school on time, as long as it is in session.

For the last two terms we have dispensed with the recess in the forenoon and afternoon, which was wont to break up regular school work for at least twenty minutes each half day. We have found this to prove advantageous throughout the schools, serving to prevent many childish mishaps and troubles. Of course it is expected the teachers will have midway of each session a special change of

air in their rooms and a brief gymnastic drill when consistant with the work in hand.

We are pleased to note that the outbuildings connected with the schools have been kept with more care and neatness than formerly was the case. This is a matter that should be attended to and must be, to have the young properly trained to shun the wrong and the distasteful.

It requires constant vigilance to keep whispering out of the schools. This has been done in most of them. It should not be tolerated, for it is the archfiend to true discipline in the public and the Sunday school. The chiefest object to be gained in acquiring an education is the power to think; this can be done only by self effort and self-control. Teacher, or scholar, cannot think for another, any more than apples can be grown by hanging them on the tree. Now whispering does as futile work and should be cried down by all, who are interested in true education.

We are confident that most of our students have conducted themselves in a becoming manner in the yards and about the school buildings, and on their way to and from school. This is to be commended, but all profanity, boisterousness and unbecoming conduct should not be countenanced, or in any way tolerated by parents, teachers, or school board; and pupils that come from a distance, remaining in the schoolhouse at noon to eat their dinners, should realize that the town grant them this favor simply, to accommodate them, not that they are obliged to do it, and, therefore, such pupils should not find fault, if they are forbidden running about the school-room, or making noise to disturb teacher, or pupils who may wish to read or study. In short as pupils

enter schoolrooms all play should be laid aside, using them for just what they were intended, as places for study and learning.

For the most part, the school board has reason to feel that the pupils have been in school this last year to govern themselves and be taught. The cases have been few in which teachers have been obliged to resort in their discipline to corporeal punishment, or refer the disobedient to the school board. This is certainly encouraging, giving our town advantage over some towns in which the parents seem to think that school government should continue to be the same. it was in the days of the ferule and the birch.

In a few instances your school board have reluctantly allowed some pupils, where they could do it without violating the law, the privilege of remaining out for a term, or more, to labor in order to assist their parents who were sick, or had been unfortunate in business. It is sincerely hoped that there will be less and less calls for any such privilege. This demand has been made largely by foreigners who have recently come into town. Now their children need an education as much as the native born and must have it to become useful and respectable citizens. Since the influx of an alien population into our state, statistics show that we have had three times as many illiterates, seven times as many insane, and nine times as many criminals. It is far from us to speak of this to cast any slur upon new immigrants into our midst, but simply to show that a great change has taken place in our state within the last forty years, and that it behooves all the native and natrulized citizens alike to do their utmost to have their children educated

and trained in our public schools, and so become prepared to be an honor and a real help to the town and state in which they may reside.

Writing essays and speaking pieces have received considerable attention in our schools, but the coming year it is expected that every pupil after getting into the grammar grade will have during each term at least three compositions and three declamations also in some of the schools it will be required that more attention and real drill be given to mental arithmetic. In recitation the pupil should do his reciting without any book, letting it be purely mental work.

The teachers in charge of our schools have generally done very satisfactory work the past year. Two left at the end of the school year; one of whom had been with us six years, having done excellent work; and the other, two years, having performed faithful service; and those taking their places have shown themselves loyal and devoted to their calling. Thus all in charge of our schools the last year, have proved themselves to be of the right spirit and ready to make sacrifices for the good of others. Their evenings, as should be, have been usually given to preparing themselves for the morrow and future work. Without such preparation teachers cannot meet the demands of the school-room at the present day; failing of it, they will be sticklers to text-books and rely largely upon recitations committed simply to memory, failing to teach their pupils to think quickly and systematically. Our teachers have aimed to hold fast to the graded system, so, those pupils throughout town of the same age have been going over the same mental ground in order that, if a change of school should take place, they would know just where they

belong in their studies. We believe that the teachers have been very fair in their written and oral examinations; and the papers exhibited of the work done, have been for the most part quite satisfactory. As a whole we judge the teaching has been thorough and of a high order.

Now that music has come to be considered a branch in our curriculum in all our schools, it must receive its due attention.

It is hoped that the ensuing year the teachers, as in years past, will be able to hold teachers' meetings as often as once in two or three weeks, to consider questions and subjects intimately connected with their vocation. Such meetings have been found to be very helpful, serving to keep the teachers up with the times, as does reading weekly, one or more of our educational journals.

It is to be much regretted that some of our pupils are not as neat and careful in using their text-books as they should be. Too many are careless in opening them, turning their covers so far back as to crowd the books from their bindings. Since the books are owned by the town and loaned to the pupils, they are morally bound to use them with the utmost care, never marking or defacing them without being perfectly ready to make good the damage at once. Indifference and carelessness are always certain to waste and destroy.

It is to be desired that more parents than have in the past should endeavor to make the acquaintance of teachers in charge of their children in school and so learn the motives and principles governing them; and we feel confident that thereby they will discover that the teachers are deeply interested in all the young coming under their tuition. If the children

have peculiarities and perhaps defects, let the parents make known these to the teacher and it may prove of the greatest benefit, revealing early to him what might have taken months for the same to discover; and besides it may prevent injustice being done the student. Let parents and teachers fully co-operate, as none too much can be done for the young. After pupils get into the grammar grades and into the high school, parents should see that their children do some studying out of school hours. On the part of most students this must be done, to have good rank in class-work.

Physiology has been taught one term during the year in each school, the pupils using text-books save in the primary classes. The subjects of alcohol and tobacco have been duly considered, but in spite of the faithful work done by teachers. A few of the smaller boys have been known to use cigarettes. Parents are responsible for any such violation and should apply the law to its fullest extent to those who sell cigarettes to minors.

Had it not been for sickness, several more names would have been on the Roll of Honor than we find there at present.

The school board has asked our teachers to select from the catalogue a few names of books for pupils to read during their school terms and vacations, which will tend to aid them in their studies. It has often been found that the reading has been such as to interfere with their studies and their standing. Students cannot during-term time, read much outside of their regular studies after they get into the higher grades. So the special object in view by this aid is to select out of the multitude of books those best suited to the wants of students in building up

character and fitting themselves to do well their life-work.

To secure a good education in our country is a public duty and it must be of a high order, if we would have a growing town and a prosperous state. The voice of authority should say to every healthy child of school age, you must be in school as long as the law requires. We should realize that danger threatens our Republic, if this is not carried out to the letter. Let truancy prevail to any extent, or the keeping out of school pupils for work, or idleness, and we would be fast tending to barbarism. It is said on good authority that in the city of Berlin, Germany, with nearly two million of inhabitants, there are not ten children being kept out of school in violation of law. We, as a people, must come to be as strict, to have our country safe and prosperous. We realize that this will cost time, determination, money and self-sacrifice. But this fact should cheer us that money expended to enlighten and properly train the young, does not impoverish, but is adding directly and indirectly to the wealth of a town, or state. This explains why the acreage of Massachusetts will sell for more than that of any the other of the New England States. From facts of the past we can safely conclude that no people are burdened by paying revenue for the support of good schools. The oppression that is often felt comes from sustaining institutions which drug and weaken a people. Thus it is with the use of alcohol and tobacco; these never strengthen or build up body or mind, but effect a reverse result. Now according to statistics some three-fourths of our taxes are required to make up for the waste occasioned by these drugs. The census figures

show that the saloons alone of our state and county cost the people more than three times as much as do our public schools; the former curse the people, while the latter bless them. Let school and church hold the sway in our town, and our taxes will decrease and our farms, mills, homes and commercial interests, will increase in value, and we shall have the consciousness of honoring and keeping sacred the precious bestowals of Columbus. Washington, Lincoln and Horace Mann.

To all the schools during the year the members of the school board have made rising 150 visits, and the parents and others, more than 350. We should all bear in mind that our schools will not advance unless properly looked after. Business, politics, social and religious affairs, receive special attention; so should our schools.

The course of lectures during the winter, given in the town hall, once in two weeks in the interest of our schools, has been well attended, though the weather was unfavorable each night of the lecture. These lectures have resulted in doing much lasting good. The first lecture was given by Rev. S. H. McColleston, D. D., his subject being: "The Actual and the Possible in our School System." The second by Rev. W. Thompson, his subject: "Reading, How and What." The third, by Rev. C. F. McIntire, his subject: "Wealth, a Trust." The fourth, by Rev. A. J. Smith, his subject: "Helps to Success." The evening of the last lecture Mrs. H. H. Pease read a very interesting and helpful paper upon "The Selection and Reading of Books." At each lecture we were highly favored and assisted by the students of the high school and other schools

with singing, reading papers and reciting pieces. It is hoped that such lecture-meetings are but the beginning of what is to come in the future. Let our public schools be what they should be and may be, and we will be sure of good material out of which to build and sustain prosperity in church and state.

We call special attention to the New District By-Law, being adopted by towns of our State, which reads as follows:

SECT. I. Any child in this district between the ages of six and sixteen years, without a regular and lawful occupation, who shall, except in case of ill health, be absent from school for more than one day during the space of any one month, unless excused by the school board, shall be fined not exceeding ten dollars for each offense.

Believing that this will be adopted at the forthcoming regular District School meeting of March, we ask all parents and guardians of children to read it with care; realizing that by its legal adoption, the school board become obligated through their Truant Officer to put it into execution when ever violated.

—o—

## ROLL OF HONOR.

Signifying attendance and good conduct for the year.

Harold N. Knight, Olive Searle, Harry Richardson, Clifford Richardson, Mary A. Coutts, Ray H. Knight, Willie Beauregard, Edward Searle and Florence White.

NAMES ON THE ROLL OF HONOR FOR TWO TERMS.

Bertha Merriam, Ella Wallace, Willie Coutts,  
Norman Collins.

THE NAMES OF TEACHERS IN OUR SCHOOLS.

Thomas Allen,	High School
Mary A. Fisk,	8th and 9th Grammar
Etta A. Sawyer,	6th and 7th Grammar
Elizabeth E. Randall,	4th and 5th Grade
Bertha E. Gould,	1st, 2nd and 3rd Grade
Mabel A. Holt,	No. 1 School
Grace H. White,	No. 3 School
Carrie M. Moors,	No. 4 School

All of which is Respectfully Submitted,

S. H. McCOLLESTER,

E. P. RICHARDSON,

LEVI A. FULLER,

School Board.

# FINANCIAL REPORT

## OF THE

### SCHOOL DISTRICT of MARLBOROUGH

FOR THE YEARS 1899-1900.

—O—

1899.		
Feb. 15.	Balance on hand,	\$ 395 83
June 30.	Cash from town treasurer,	1,000 00
Sept. 30.	Cash from town treasurer,	500 00
Nov. 23.	Cash from town treasurer,	1,000 00
1900.		
Jan. 30.	Cash from town treasurer,	200 00
Feb. 15.	Cash from town treasurer,	537 13
Feb. 15.	Tuition for Parker and Baker children,	8 80
		<hr/>
		\$3,641 76

—O—

#### TOTAL RECEIPTS.

Money For insurance,	\$ 73 00
Money for repairs,	244 73
Money for schooling,	3,641 76
Money for books and supplies,	300 00
	<hr/>
	\$4,259 49

## TOTAL PAYMENTS.

Insurance,	\$ 73 00
Repairs,	244 73
Schooling,	3,293 14
Books and supplies,	300 00
Cash on hand,	348 62
	<hr/>
	\$4,259 49

—O—

## INSURANCE.

1900.			
Feb.	15.	Cash from town treasurer	\$73 00
		PAYMENTS.	
Apr.	7.	G. G. Davis,	\$17 00
Apr.	17.	G. G. Davis,	48 00
Oct.	13.	G. G. Davis,	8 00
			<hr/>
			\$73 00

—O—

## REPAIRS,

1900.			
Feb.	15.	Cash from town treasurer,	\$244 73
		PAYMENTS.	
1899.			
Feb.	25.	J. M. Fox, glass and setting,	\$1 40
June	6.	A. N. White, stock and repairs	
		at No. 1,	8 26
Aug.	23.	C. Cady, work at No. 2,	12 65
Sept.	30.	Davis, Wright and Harlow,	
		Furnace and repairs,	169 09
Sept.	30.	C. W. Bailey, work at No. 2,	14 10
Sept.	30.	D. W. Tenney, shut-off and	
		work, No. 2,	1 65
Sept.	30.	C. Collins & Co., glass and fit-	
		ting,	2 00
Nov.	14.	J. M. Fox, work at No. 4,	3 76

Dec.	15.	L. A. Fuller, repairs on water works, No. 3,	\$ 11 30
Dec.	20.	L. A. Fuller, lumber for repairs,	13 02
1900.			
Jan.	17.	C. Collins & Co., repairs,	5 56
Jan.	17.	J. M. White, labor at No. 1,	2 00
			<hr/>
			\$244 73

—o—

## SCHOOLING.

## PAYMENTS.

1899.

Feb.	17.	Dean E. Holt, janitor, No. 2,	\$30 40
Feb.	20.	Mrs. S. J. Howe, mileage and janitor,	8 42
Feb.	20.	Delia Bruce, sweeping,	4 40
Feb.	23.	Harold N. Knight, mileage,	2 12
Feb.	23.	G. A. Robinson, mileage,	9 00
Feb.	23.	G. F. Dustin, mileage,	6 60
Mar.	25.	F. Wilcox, sweeping,	50
Apr.	7.	F. P. Wellington, errands,	40
Apr.	27.	Albert LePlant, janitor,	1 08
May	30.	Harrisville school district tui- tion for Brown children,	14 50
May	30.	H. J. Richardson, sawing wood,	5 25
June	23.	Viola E. McClure, teaching, No. 2,	180 00
June	23.	Ellen M. Higgins, teaching, No. 2,	132 00
June	23.	Etta A. Sawyer, teaching, No. 2,	108 00
June	23.	Elizabeth E. Randall, teaching, No. 2,	144 00
June	23.	Bertha E. Gould, teaching, No. 2,	72 00
June	23.	Mabel A. Holt, teaching, No. 3,	102 00
June	23.	Grace H. White, teaching, No. 4,	96 00
June	23.	Bertha M. Seaver, teaching, No. 1,	102 00

June	24.	Harold N. Knight, mileage,	\$ 2 40
June	24.	Harry Smith, janitor,	3 60
June	24.	Tommy Williams, janitor and wood,	1 95
June	26.	L. L. White, mileage,	18 88
June	26.	G. A. Robinson, mileage,	24 64
June	27.	Cora A. Fuller, work at No. 3,	1 20
June	27.	G. F. Dustin, mileage,	6 96
June	27.	Carl E. Richardson, janitor, No. 2,	24 30
June	28.	Jennie Bouvier, sweeping, No. 2,	2 40
June	29.	E. P. Richardson, care of fur- nace, No. 2,	8 00
June	30.	Delia Bruce, sweeping, No. 2,	4 80
July	1.	C. S. Moors, express and team,	2 00
July	3.	F. Wilcox, work at No. 2,	3 75
July	18.	Mrs. G. Howe, mileage, janitor and labor,	7 87
Aug.	10.	Richardson, & Pease, Coal,	64 45
Aug.	15.	F. Wilcox, cleaning, &c., at No. 2,	20 95
Aug.	22.	Mrs. A. N. White, cleaning at No. 1 and 2,	5 00
July	25.	H. Cloutier, drawing coal,	6 45
Sept.	5.	Thomas Allen, teaching at No. 2,	66 67
Sept.	30.	Mary A. Fisk, teaching at No. 2,	40 00
Nov.	14.	H. L. Wiswall, wood,	3 57
Nov.	24.	Thomas Allen, teaching at No. 2,	133 33
Nov.	24.	Mary A. Fisk, teaching at No. 2,	62 00
Nov.	24.	Vera L. Tarbox, teaching at No. 2,	9 00
Nov.	24.	Etta A. Sawyer, teaching at No. 2,	108 00
Nov.	24.	Elizabeth E. Randall, teaching at No. 2,	144 00
Nov.	24.	Bertha E. Gould, teaching at No. 2,	72 00
Nov.	24.	Mabel A. Holt, teaching at No. 1,	102 00
Nov.	24.	Grace H. White, teaching at No. 3,	90 00
Nov.	24.	Carrie M. Moors, teaching at No. 4,	84 00

Nov.	24.	C. E. Richardson, janitor and oil,	\$28 40
Nov.	27.	G. F. Dustin, mileage,	6 84
Nov.	27.	G. A. Robinson, mileage,	27 76
Nov.	27.	L. L. White, mileage,	21 60
Nov.	27.	Emma Bruce, sweeping, No. 2,	6 20
Nov.	27.	G. A. Shattuck, janitor, No. 1,	3 60
Nov.	28.	Harold N. Knight, mileage,	4 64
Dec.	1.	Harry Smith, mileage,	4 36
Dec.	2.	Gordon White, putting wood in shed,	75
Dec.	7.	Mrs. S. J. Howe, mileage and janitor,	9 24
Dec.	12.	Cora A. Fuller, janitor, No. 3,	3 60
Dec.	20.	Samuel Mason, wood for No. 1 and 2,	28 00
Dec.	22.	Agnes Despres, mileage,	1 60

## 1900.

Jan.	19.	Mary A. Fisk, teaching at No. 2,	\$60 00
Jan.	24.	Thomas Allen, teaching at No. 2,	50 00
Feb.	1.	C. S. Moors, express,	4 55
Feb.	5.	Henry Giffin, coal,	26 00
Feb.	15.	Adams & Atwood, oil, &c.	15 16
Feb.	23.	Mabel A. Holt, teaching, No. 1,	93 50
Feb.	23.	Carrie M. Moors, teaching, No. 4,	77 00
Feb.	23.	Bertha E. Gould, teaching, No. 2,	66 00
Feb.	23.	Grace H. White, teaching, No. 3,	82 50
Feb.	24.	G. A. Shattuck, janitor, and work at No. 1,	3 70
Feb.	26.	Tonie Myriam, janitor, No. 3,	2 20
Feb.	26.	Etta A. Sawyer, teaching, No. 2,	108 00
Feb.	26.	Elizabeth E. Randall, teaching, No. 2,	144 00
Feb.	26.	Thomas Allen, teaching, No. 2,	150 00
Feb.	26.	Mary A. Fisk, teaching, No. 2,	60 00

Feb.	26.	Ray Page, janitor, No. 2,	\$ 60 00
Feb.	26.	Cora A. Fuller, sweeping, No. 3,	1 10
			<hr/>
			\$3,293 14

— 0 —

## BOOKS AND SUPPLIES,

## RECEIPTS.

1898.			
Apr.	26.	Cash, book,	\$ 50
May	15.	Cash, deportment cards,	08
June	24.	Cash, books,	75
July	11.	Cash, book,	30
Nov.	18.	Cash, writing book,	15
1900.			
Feb.	15.	Cash, town treasurer,	300 00
			<hr/>
			\$301 78

## PAYMENTS.

1899.			
Feb.	15.	Balance on last year bill,	\$3 16
Mar.	7.	C. S. Moors, express,	26
Mar.	30.	C. L. Bemis, postal cards,	25
Apr.	19.	W. L. Metcalf, paper,	4 63
May	17.	Ginn & Co., books,	15 51
May	17.	Silver, Burdett, & Co., music books,	4 28
May	17.	American Book Co., books,	4 80
May	17.	Boston School Supply Co., Ink,	3 60
May	17.	Cummings & Remington, paper,	3 50
May	17.	Werner Book Co., books,	4 80
June	7.	C. B. Collins & Co., supplies,	7 79
June	23.	Ray Page, promotion blanks,	3 00
July	18.	W. L. Metcalf, stock and printing,	4 76
Aug.	18.	J. H. Jackson, granite monthly,	1 50
Sept.	5.	Silver, Burdett & Co., music,	28

Sept.	5.	Edw. E. Babb, & Co., books,	\$ 2 16
Sept.	29.	Rand, McNally, & Co., globe, series and phys. world,	25 85
Sept.	29.	A. Donnelly, tellurican globe, moon ball,	16 50
Sept.	29.	American Book Co., books,	44 16
Sept.	30.	W. H. Spalter, supplies,	26 36
Sept.	30.	Ginn, & Co., books,	23 58
Sept.	30.	Edw. E. Babb & Co., books,	8 20
Sept.	30.	Cummings & Remington, pens,	4 20
Sept.	30.	Lee & Shepherd, record books,	5 00
Oct.	13.	Silver, Burdett, & Co., tracing and music,	4 80
Oct.	13.	Maynard, Merrill & Co., books,	2 40
Oct.	14.	W. L. Metcalf, supplies,	4 46
Nov.	14.	Cummings & Remington, supplies,	3 50
Nov.	24.	Mary A. Fisk, two flasks,	50
Dec.	1.	C. L. Bemis, certificates and stamps,	60
Dec.	2.	Garfield & Adams, supplies,	2 67
Dec.	20.	American Book Co., books,	5 76
Dec.	20.	Ginn, & Co., books,	4 80
Dec.	20.	Boston School Supply Co., books,	1 80
1900.			
Jan.	12.	American Book Co., books,	4 68
Jan.	12.	Ginn & Co., W. books,	5 60
Jan.	12.	Boston School Supply Co., Ink,	3 60
Jan.	30.	C. F. Summy, music pads,	34
Jan.	30.	Ginn & Co., spelling blanks,	4 20
Jan.	30.	Cummings & Remington, paper and pens,	7 15
Feb.	12.	N. E. Publishing Co., Journal of Education,	10 00
Feb.	15.	C. A. Whitney, stamps and stationery,	1 90
Feb.	15.	Silver, Burdett & Co., music,	1 03

Feb. 24. A. J. Holmes, book,	\$ 3 69
Cash on hand,	10 17
	<hr/>
	\$301 78

C. A. WHITNEY,  
Treasurer.

—o—

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the school board and school district treasurer, for the year ending March 1, 1900, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

LUTHER HEMENWAY,  
J. K. SOUTHWICK,

Auditors.

Marlborough, March 3, 1900.

# VITAL STATISTICS.

—O—

*To The Selectmen :*

In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following :

# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBOROUGH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1899.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (If any.)	Sex and Condition		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of		Age of Father	Age of Mother
		Male.	Female.						Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 3	William	M	F	w Alfred Morse	Katie Rivers	w	Marlboro'	Laborer	Vermont	Vermont	31	37
Jan. 21	Adeline Elsie	M	F	w George Trombly	George A Tagertien	w	"	"	Canada	Canada	33	32
Feb. 2	Irene Maude	M	F	w Watson D. Towne	Edith Robbins	w	"	Farmer	Sullivan	Marlow	49	29
" 13	"	M	F	w Albert L. Moors	Mabel I. Briggs	w	"	Laborer	Marlboro'	Newfane, Vt.	33	24
" 24	Lillie May	M	F	w Joseph LaRock	Hattie Trombly	w	"	"	Jaffrey, N. H.	Canada	33	24
" 25	Anna Eva	M	F	w Charles Brown	Emma Beaucage	w	"	Farmer	R. Island	R. Island	30	16
Mar. 11	Edward	M	F	w Joe Palarain	Celia Guvett	w	E. Sullivan	Mechanic	Canada	Vermont	28	23
" 13	Celia	M	F	w Peter Abar	Mary Feshett	w	Marlboro'	Laborer	"	Canada	32	26
" 14	Eva Julia	M	F	w Henry Rock	Celia Crofto	w	"	Spinner	Vermont	Keene	28	29
" 16	Delphine	M	F	w Arthur Parady	Victoria Roy	w	"	Laborer	Canada	Keene	30	28
Apr. 9	Joseph Arthur	M	F	w Isaac Despres	Pomelia Biel	w	"	Farmer	Asburham, M.	Canada	36	38
" 9	Melinda	M	F	w Charles Latendo	Charinda Croto	w	"	Mechanic	Mass.	"	30	18
" 10	Mary Ellen	M	F	w Frank Bouvier	Isabelle Lapoint	w	"	Baker	Vermont	"	25	20
" 24	Erford Allyn	M	F	w David Woods	Annie Mason	w	"	Mechanic	Hemiker	Harrisville	32	29
May 6	Ernest	M	F	w Clevis Croto	Celia Dagle	w	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada	38	28
" 7	Corra Mary	M	F	w Joe Pelkey	Alice Martin	w	"	Spinner	Ashelet	"	35	33
" 8	Grace Lena	M	F	w Fred Sharkey	Lena May Fish	w	"	Laborer	Ryegate, Vt.	"	26	23
" 29	Corra Elsie	M	F	w Louis Chabot	Eliza Dizetell	w	Keene	Mechanic	France	Chester Vt.	25	21
June 5	Lula	M	F	w Alfred Dumonte	Annie Cheabonnie	w	Marlboro'	Stone cutter	Canada	Canada	44	40
" 9	Faunie	M	F	w Sam Finklestein	Julie Wyancelski	w	"	Merchant	Canada	Canada	36	35
" 26	Joseph Archie	M	F	w Telesphore Comeau	Avilda Provancher	w	"	Carpenter	Russia	Canada	36	30
July 4	Marguerite	M	F	w Frank S. Derby	Hulda J. Hill	w	"	Farmer	Canada	Canada	33	32
" 8	Corra Josephine	M	F	w Eugene Deschene	Emma Pelkey	w	Troy	Laborer	Leonister, Mas.	Norwich, Conn.	33	30
" 20	Everett Newell	M	F	w Ed. McQuade	Sinnie Hebert	w	"	"	Marlboro'	Canada	23	41
" 24	"	M	F	w Jacob Latvala	Sophia Punkaria	w	"	"	"	"	24	24
" 25	"	M	F	w Ed. Erickson	Hannah Silverberg	w	"	"	Finland	"	27	29
" 30	"	M	F	w John Silver	Annie Beckante	w	"	Stone Cutter	"	"	33	27
Aug. 16	Rosa	M	F	w Thomas Trombly	Julia Cahier	w	"	"	"	"	26	23
" 28	"	M	F	w Chas. Young	Ella Rock	w	Manchester	Laborer	Canada	Canada	31	34
" 30	"	M	F	w Joseph Freschette	Eugenie Provenceh.	w	"	"	N. H.	Mass.	30	28
" 31	Dennis Daniel	M	F	w Joseph Despres	Alphonse Reil	w	Marlboro'	Farmer	Canada	Canada	37	32
" 31	"	M	F	"	"	w	"	"	"	"	56	54

# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBOROUGH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1899.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (If any.)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father	Age of Mother		
		Male.	Female.	Living or Still born.										No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.
Sept.	1 Henry	M		L	Charles Dumont	Victoria Croto	W	Marlboro'	Laborer	Canada	Canada	27	25		
"	3 Clarence	M		L	Joseph Lareau	Mary Croto	W	"	"	Vermont	"	39	37		
"	8 George Lyman	M		L	William Coding	Gertrude L. Woods	W	"	"	Marlboro' Vt.	Hartland Vt.	25	16		
"	25 Walter Willard	M		L	Willie S. Garfield	Minnie B. Wright	W	"	"	Troy, N. H.	Troy, N. H.	33	31		
Oct.	4 Edward E.	M		L	Ed. Hobert	Eliza Croto	W	"	"	Shrewsbury Ms.	Canada	32	29		
"	9 Gladys S.	M	F	L	Joe Mackey	Mary Wiswall	W	"	"	Keene	Marlboro'	27	22		
"	19 Mary Amy	M	F	L	William Mackey	Mattie Shover	W	"	"	"	Swansey	26	23		
"	20 Lizzie	M	F	L	Mat Hackley	Maria Perkia	W	"	"	Finland	Finland	24	27		
Dec.	2 Freddie	M	F	L	Hector Bocarge	Matilda Eli	W	"	"	R. I.	Canada	23	23		
"	4 John	M	F	L	Archie Woods	Emmie Desilet	W	"	"	Canada	"	42	35		
"	12 Annie	M	F	L	Donie Martin	Annie Colleli	W	"	"	Italy	"	40	42		
"	13 Ida	M	F	L	Moses Delude	Pernella Rosebush	W	"	"	Canada	Canada	40	29		
"	19 George Ellery	M	F	L	Latayette Dinsmore	Minnie J. Palmer	W	"	"	Walpole, N. H.	Gilsun	34	25		
"	23 Mary Laura	M	F	L	Henry Harper	Alice Cloutier	W	"	"	Keene, N. H.	Chester, Vt.	25	21		
"	23 Lesly Josepn	M	F	L	Milledge Belliveau	May Mary'a Dunnae	W	"	"	Canada	Canada	27	23		
"	24 Lillie	M	F	L	Jamas Olmstead	Mary Trombly	W	"	"	Vermont	"	42	37		

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBOROUGH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1899

Date of Mar-	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each Yrs.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Feb. 13	Marlboro'	Ernest Arsenault	Marlboro'	26 W	W	Laborer	Canada	Jude Arsenault Delire Leclercy	Canada	Farmer	1st	Rev. D. C. Ling
		Mary Ann. Vigneau	"	25 W	W	Weaver	"	John Vigneault Te Coumbours	"	Painter	1st	Marlboro'
Feb. 21	Marlboro'	Howard A. Kirek	Westville, Conn.	28 W	W	Polisher	Watkins, N.Y.	Albert G. Kirek Celia M. Gardner	Mohawk, N.Y. Lockport N.Y.	Polisher	1st	Rev. D. J. Smith
		Nellie M. Howard	Marlboro'	22 W	W	Teacher	Holyoke Ms.	Walter J. Howard Mary Mullen	Alstead, N.H. Burlington Vt.	Mechanic	1st	Marlboro'
Feb. 22	Keene	Joseph LaRock	"	20 W	W	Laborer	Marlboro'	Antoine La Rock Miet	Canada	Laborer	1st	Leonard Wellington
		Hattie Trombly	"	15 W	W	At home	Canada	Louis Trombly	"	Laborer	1st	Keene, N. H.
April 11	Marlboro'	Joseph Turcotte	"	27 W	W	Laborer	Marlboro'	Simon Turcotte Julia Beaucage	"	Laborer	1st	Rev. D. C. Ling
		Blanche Perry	"	22 W	W	weaver	Canada	Adelf Perry Mary Louise Perry	"	Laborer	1st	Marlboro'
May 14	Winchen- don, Mass.	Arthur J. Cloutier	"	33 W	W	Spinner	Cavendish Vt.	Peter Cloutier Phoebe Beaucage	"	Farmer	2 d	Rev. Geo. A. Cooke
		Ellen Rivear	Webster Ms.	34 W	W	Weaver	Canada	Mary Tenasove Melvin Woods	"	Farmer	2 d	Winchendon, Mass
June 17	Marlboro'	Frank E. Woods	Marlboro'	26 W	W	Fireman	Vermont	Julia E. Eddy Frank Cowdry	Vermont	Laborer	2 d	Levi A. Fuller
		Susie E. Cowdry	Jamaica Vt.	26 W	W	At home	"	Sarah Aulie Kankaanjroa	"	Laborer	2 d	Justice of the Peace
Aug. 12	Marlboro'	Kustaa Kankaanjroa	Marlboro'	20 W	W	Laborer	Finland	Stina Leutumdki	Finland	Farmer	1st	Rev. A. J. Smith
		Jaura Leutumdki	"	22 W	W	Housework	"	Nehemiah Adams Lydia C. Adams	"	Farmer	1st	Marlboro'
Sept. 26	Marlboro'	Orin S. Adams	"	58 W	W	Clerk	Jaffrey, N. H.	Lovina White	"	Luke whiney	2 d	Rev. C. F. McIntire
		Ann E. Tenney	"	62 W	W	Housework	Troy, N. H.	Lovina White	"	Marlboro'	2 d	Marlboro'

\*Whether Single or Widowed. What marriage—1st, 2d, etc.

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBOROUGH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1899

Date of Mar.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each yrs.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Condition.*	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Dec. 18	Mendon Vt.	Arthur I. Watson	Fitchburg, Mass.	24 W	W	Station agent	Gloversville, N. Y.	Freeman Watson	New York		1st	Rev. T. S. Watson, Mendon, Vt.
		Jessie M. Kenyon	Fitchburg, Mass.	24 W	W	At home	Ferrisburg, Vt.	A. W. Kenyon	Ferrisburg, Vt.		1st	
" 25	Marlboro'	Phillip Martin	Marlboro'	20 W	W	Laborer	Canada	Mattie Spencer	Mass.		1st	Rev. C. Houle, Marlboro'
		Salina Crofto		19 W	W	Weaver.	Canada	Elzora Martin	Canada	Butcher	1st	
								Frederic Crofto	"			
								Alice Cota	"			

\*Whether Single or Widowed. What marriage—1st, 2d, etc.

# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBOROUGH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1899.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition			Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.		
		Years.	Months.		Days.	Male.	Female.		Color.	S., M., W.*			Father.	Mother.
Jan.	18 Eliza Fitch	79	2 19	Canada	M	F	W	W	Canada	Canada	David Joslin	Rosanna Pelkey		
"	25 Lucy Crotto	76	10	Ashuelot N. H.	M	F	W	S	"	"	Antoine Coucon	Julia Beaucage		
Feb.	27 Johnnie Dragon	14		Marlboro'	M	F	W	S	"	"	Erank Dragon	Margaret Bunham		
Mar.	21 Anna Labonty	24	9 27	Vermont	M	F	W	M	Marlboro'	Marlboro'	Simon Wilcox			
"	16 John Campbell	51	11	Athol, Mass.	M	F	W	M	Troy	Elisha Mason	Ziba Nason	Emmie Russ		
"	28 Elisha L. Mason	70	10 11	Marlboro'	M	F	W	S	Keene	Keene	Arthur P. Knight	Ella Wright		
Apr.	16 Louisa N. Parmenter	72	10 4	"	M	F	W	S	Marlboro'	Marlboro'	Arthur Hodgkins	Harriet Fairbanks		
"	22 Ralph L. Knight	8	9 26	"	M	F	W	S	Goffstown, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.	Walter Capron	Lucy Parker		
"	22 Eva A. Hodgkins	15	2 19	"	M	F	W	S	Norway, N. Y.	Norway, N. Y.	A. J. Smith	Clarissa Emerson		
"	23 Chas. W. Capron	72	2 15	Manchester N. H.	M	F	W	S	Rockingham, N. H.	Rockingham, N. H.	W. G. Smalley	Estella Devine		
May	3 Alvin K. Martin	55	1	Kirkwood N. Y.	M	F	W	S	Finland	Finland	Jacob Erickson	Corinthia Lawrence		
"	4 Vera Maud Smith	3	7 5	Marlboro'	M	F	W	S	Jaffrey	Jaffrey	Abel Nutting	Hannah Silferbery		
July	3 Gertrude Smalley	10	1 22	"	M	F	W	S	Hygate, Vt.	Hygate, Vt.	Frank Bouvier	Rachel Cutter		
"	25 " 1 hour	82	5 13	"	M	F	W	S	N. H.	N. H.	Chas. Young	Ella Rock		
"	24 " 2 hours	4	7	"	M	F	W	S	Canada	Canada	Peter Abart	Mary Freshett		
Aug.	2 George A. Nutting	6	15	"	M	F	W	S	Hinsdale	Hinsdale	William Vigneau	Harselle Paleria		
"	18 Mary E. Bouvier	2	5	"	M	F	W	S	Canada	Canada	Alfred Dumont	Olive Champanie		
"	28 " 3 hours	2	10	"	M	F	W	S	Keene	Keene	Alfred Dumont	Olive Champanie		
"	28 " 7 hours	3	1	"	M	F	W	S	Marlboro'	Marlboro'	will Mackey	Mattie Shover		
Sept.	28 Celia Abart	3	2 16	"	M	F	W	S	Laborer	Laborer	J. F. Richardson	Lora Ladd		
Oct.	13 Virginia Vigneau	2	5	"	M	F	W	S	Farmer	Farmer	Thomas Derby	Mary Stone		
"	18 Lula Dumont	2	4	"	M	F	W	S	Housewife	Housewife	Archie Woods	Emily Disely		
"	20 Silvia Dumont	2	10	"	M	F	W	S			Wm. Thompson	Laurinda Cross		
"	"	2	1	"	M	F	W	S						
"	20 " 2 1/2 hours	3	2 16	"	M	F	W	S						
Nov.	22 Gladys L. Richardson	67	6 2	Stirling, Mass.	M	F	W	M						
"	5 Francis O. Ball	30	4	Leominster, Ms.	M	F	W	S						
"	21 David S. Derby	68	2 19	Marlboro'	M	F	W	S						
Dec.	8 John woods	68	2 19	Springfield Ms.	M	F	W	S						
"	28 Lavina A. woodward	68	2 19	Springfield Ms.	M	F	W	S						

\*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED E. ADAMS, Town Clerk.



## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

—O—

*To the inhabitants of the town of Marlborough, in the county of Cheshire in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall, in said Marlborough, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1.—To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2.—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3.—To hear the reports of town agents, committees or other officers heretofore chosen or appointed, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

4.—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money for decorating the soldiers' graves, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

5.—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of electric lights, for the streets for a term of years, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

6.—To see if the town will vote to erect and maintain electric lights at or near the following places: At or near the house of Mrs. May Moors, at or near the house of Charles Mason, at or near the house of Isaac Davis, also near Walter Morse's and H. H. Ward's and appropriate money for the same, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

7.—To see if the town will vote to place electric lights in the town hall or act in any manner in relation thereto.

8.—To see if the town will vote to lay a hard wood floor in the town hall and selectmen's room, appropriate money for the same or act in any manner in relation thereto.

9.—To see if the town will vote to procure a new set of scenery for the town hall stage, appropriate money for the same, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

10.—To see if the town will vote to build or prepare a suitable place near C. & A. Hodgkins' foundry, for the fire engine in case of fire, appropriate money for the same, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

11.—To see if the town will vote to build a suitable sidewalk on the easterly side of the road leading from Frost street to Church street, commencing at the northwesterly corner of Mrs. George Thatcher's house lot thence southerly on the highway before mentioned until it intersects with church street, and appropriate money for the same or act in any manner in relation thereto.

12.—To see if the town will vote to continue their liquor agency under the present requirements of the law, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

13.—To act upon any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred.

MERRILL MASON,  
JOHN R. FARNUM,  
ALBERT A. WALLACE,  
Selectmen of Marlborough.





